

*Stated Meeting, June 16, 1883.*

Present, 5 members.

President, Mr. FRALEY, in the Chair.

Letters of acknowledgment were received from the Royal Academy at Lisbon (109, 110, 111), and Royal Academy at Amsterdam (109).

Letters of envoy were received from the Royal Academy at Lisbon, June, 1882; the Museum Teyler; the Société Hollandaise, March 30; the Royal Academy at Amsterdam, March 1; and the Surgeon General's Office, Washington, June 6.

Letters from M. J. Vidal, at Cairo; M. Gaston Planté, Paris; Dr. A. S. Packard, Jr., Providence, R. I.; Edmund Goldsmid, of Edinburgh; and Mr. A. R. Grote, of Buffalo, were read.

Donations for the Library were received from the Academies at Amsterdam and Rome; the Societies at Salem, Boston and Worcester; the Trigonometrical Survey of India; the Holland Society, and Museum Teyler; Dr. G. D. E. Weyer, of Kiel; the Geographical Societies at Paris and Bordeaux; Revue Politique, and Ecole des Mines; British Association, Victoria Institute, Royal Astronomical, and Antiquarian Societies and London Nature; Canadian Institute; Cambridge Museum; Medical Journal; New York Observatory; Rutgers College; Franklin Institute, Historical Society, College of Pharmacy, H. Phillips, Jr., and Dr. P. Frazer; American Chemical Journal; Smithsonian Institution, National Museum, Engineers' Department, Bureau of Education and Fish Commission; Wabash College; Medical Journal, at Indianapolis; and the Ministerio de Fomento.

The death of Col. Robert S. Williamson, at San Francisco, Nov. 11, 1882, was announced by Dr. Horn.

The death of the Hon. Judge George Sharswood, at Philadelphia, May 28, 1883, aged 73, was announced by Mr. Fraley.

Dr. A. S. Packard, Jr., of Providence, R. I., communicated, through Prof. Cope,—

1. A revision of the *Lysiopetalidæ*, a family of Chilognath myriopoda; with a notice of the genus *Cambala*. (See page 177, 195.)

2. On the Morphology of the *Myriopoda*, with a plate. (See page 197.)

Mr. A. R. Grote, of Buffalo, communicated: An Introduction to the North American *Noctuidæ*. (See page 134.)

Pending nominations, Nos. 985 to 1004, were read.

And the meeting was adjourned.

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*Stated Meeting, July 20, 1883.*

Present, 4 members.

Curator, Dr. HORN, in the Chair.

Letters of acknowledgment were received from the Royal Library, Berlin (112); the Würtemberg V. N. V. (109, 110, 111); the Prague Observatory (107, 108, 109); New Hampshire Historical Society (113), Essex Institute (113), American Antiquarian Society (113), Rhode Island Historical Society (113), Connecticut Historical Society (113), W. D. Whitney (113), New Jersey Historical Society (113), Buffalo Society of Natural Science (113), W. B. Taylor (113), Theodore Gill (113), Wisconsin State Historical Society (113), and Georgia Historical Society (113).

Letters of envoy were received from the Society of Sciences at Bordeaux, the Hungarian Academy, Lisbon Academy, Belgian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and Institut Ethnographique at Paris.

Donations for the Library were received from the Royal Academies of St. Petersburg, Berlin, Vienna, Buda-Pest, Munich, Brussels, Lisbon; from the Societies at Bremen, Emden, Batavia, Stuttgart, Bordeaux, Dublin; from the Observato-